

In the Drawings:

Please enter the attached amended drawings sheets (14 sheets) as formal drawings.

REMARKS

This communication is responsive to the Supplemental Notice of Allowability dated January 18, 2008.

Claims 1-55 were pending in this application.

The Examiner made an amendment to affirmatively cancel claim 55. There is no objection.

Claims 1-54 remain pending and are indicated as ALLOWED.

The drawings filed on June 15, 2006 were lacking an indication of AMENDED in the top margin.

Enclosed for entry into the file are replacement drawing sheets with the appropriate AMENDED notation.

Accordingly, the present application is now believed to be ready for issue.

The Issue Fees were previously paid.

Corresponding action is respectfully solicited.

PTO is authorized to charge any additional fees incurred as a result of the filing hereof or credit any overpayment to our account #02-0900.

The Examiner is invited to telephone the undersigned should any questions arise.

Respectfully submitted,

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